

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:)	Group Art Unit:
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MATSUHISA, et al.)	Examiner:
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Serial No.: 10/588,597)	Confirmation No.: 9532
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Filed: August 7, 2006)	<u>STATEMENT REGARDING SEQUENCE</u>
)	<u>LISTING IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF</u>
Atty. File No.: 5426FP-1)	<u>MISSING REQUIREMENTS</u>
)	
For: "METHOD OF DETECTING NUCLEIC		filed electronically
ACID AND UTILIZATION THEREOF"		

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Statement is submitted in response to the Notice of Missing Requirements. A copy of the Notice is attached hereto.

The content of the sequence listing submitted on computer readable format on August 7, 2006, for the above-referenced national phase application is identical to the written sequence listing as filed. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.825(a) and (b) and §1.821(f), Applicants' attorney hereby asserts that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of SEQ ID NO:1 through SEQ ID NO:32 submitted herewith are identical and include no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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